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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>
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Date of Interview: 26 June 2003.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference  
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Claim(s) discussed: none.

Identification of prior art discussed: none.

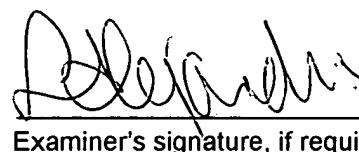
Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: attorney pointed out that the allowable subject matter statement, stating that claims 1-18 and 26-49 would be allowable if a corrected declaration is provided, is incorrect since a corrected declaration was submitted previously and there is no pending rejection over the declaration. The examiner agrees with the attorney position and therefore the claims 1-18 and 26-49 are allowable. Furthermore, there is no need to submit a new declaration.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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